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1. A method of adjusting security for a network user node in <u>wireless</u> communication with a network based upon the location of the node, comprising:

determining the location of a network user node;

selecting a single level of security from a group of more than two security levels based on the determined location, the group of more than two security levels being stored in the memory of the network user node; and

modifying the security protection for the network user node based upon the selected level of security, wherein the step of modifying the security protection for the network user node includes modifying data encryption parameters to change the strength of encryption on wireless data transmitted by the network user node.;

wherein the group of more than two security levels is defined by a user of the network user node; and

wherein the determined location and the security protection for the network user node are updated continuously.